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Vendors can still get in to the 4th Annual Laona Sport Show May 10th and 11th

The Fourth Annual Laona Sport and Recreation Show will be Friday May 10th from noon - 6:00 p.m. and Saturday May 11th running from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

If you work with ATVs, new campers, boats, docks, boat lifts, hot tubs, trailers, taxidermy displays, custom printed t shirts and hats, guns, knives wood products landscaping, arts and crafts and other summer season necessities, show off your stuff at the show.

To reserve a spot, call (715) 674-2601 or (715) 674-3909. Ask for Rus or Buz ASAP! You can also email thadyaeger@laonamachine.com

Crandon High Post Prom Party

The Crandon High Post Prom Party will be this Saturday, on April 27th. The fun begins at 11:00 p.m. and runs until 2:00 a.m.. The cost is \$3 per person and \$5 per couple. This event is open to any Crandon High student, and there will be games, food, music, prizes and real good time.

Some of the prizes include an Ipad Mini, a laptop, Ipod Nano, gift cards, cash and many other great items.

Vidalia Onion Sale!

By the Northwoods Shrine Club

The Shriners of the Northwood Shrine Club are having a Vidalia onion sale on May 3rd and 4th from 9:00 to 4:00 in Schaefer's parking lot in Crandon and in downtown Wabeno.

This annual event supports the Northwoods Shrine Club, which sends children from our area to Shriner's Children's Hospitals. Presently, there are eight children from Forest, Oneida and Vilas County that are going to Shriner's Children's Hospitals, including two from the Crandon/Wabeno area.

If you can't make the sale, but would like to purchase Vidalia onions for \$10 for a 10 pound bag, call Bob May at 715-478-5012, and place an order. Please note that these are genuine Vidalia onions. The only time you cry with Vidalia onions is when they are gone!

Friends of the Crandon Library Book Sale

The Friends of the Library Book Sale will be held Friday, May 3rd and Saturday May 4th in the lower level of the Crandon Public Library.

Books for every reader will be featured. Specials are offered on fiction and children's chapter books. Large print and paperbacks as well as VCR tapes, cassettes, cookbooks, self-health care books will be available for sale.

The book sale will be from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 3rd and on Saturday, May 4th from 9:00 a.m. until noon.

Forest County Chamber Offers Free Customer Service Training

The Forest County Chamber of Commerce has partnered with the Wisconsin Department of Tourism to provide a free customer service training to all area businesses and employees. The training will be held on Wednesday, May 8, from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the Forest County Potawatomi Auditorium on Everybody's Road.

The program will highlight the importance of customer service to your bottom line, and why it is so vital to the Northwoods tourism and business industry. Owners, managers and employees are encouraged to attend. Sarah Pischer, Wisconsin Department of Tourism Northeast Region Specialist, will present the training program. Participants will learn good customer service practices with this interactive training, as well how to deliver service that keeps customers coming back to your business. A certificate of participation will be available to those who attend.

This training is free, but participants must register. Contact the Forest County Chamber of Commerce at (715) 478-3450 or info@visitforestcounty.com to register by Monday, May 6.

Check us out online at
www.pioneerexpresscrandon.com

The July 4-6 Mole Lake Casino Super Truck Challenge at Crandon



Nothing like a good 'ol fashioned run whatcha brung off-road vehicle extravaganza to get Crandon International Off-Road faithful fired up about racing at the "Big House" to open the month of July!

The inaugural Mole Lake Casino Super Truck Challenge at Crandon is set for July 4th, 5th & 6th - three days of off-the-hook 4x4 fun that's open to anyone who's interested in coming out to watch - or actually participate themselves!

"I'll tell you what ... we are opening the doors of Crandon Raceway and allowing access like never before to off-road enthusiasts," said Crandon's Cliff Flannery. "Unprecedented access to Crandon's 400 acres of trails, mud holes, our new rock crawling area, sand pits, water hazards and more.

It took some doing, but Mole Lake Super Truck Challenge organizers even convinced Flannery to allow access to the holy grounds of off-road - Crandon's world-leading short course race track ... the same one Johnny Greaves & Ricky Johnson battle on for the Traxxas TORC Series presented by Amsoil events!

"It's overwhelming that Crandon's invited us and allowed us to use their entire facility," said event organizer Dave Ante. "This will be Wisconsin's best, foremost off-road experience of all-time - and everyone's invited!"

Featuring everything for the fans at Crandon from; Obstacle Course step up for Rockers, Mega Trucks Bounty Hole, Show-n-Shine, Sand and Rock Pit, Side-by-Side high H.P. Blower and Injected Mud Drag Racing, Burn Out, Mud Pit, Tuff Truck stadium style racing with a lucky dog draw elimination buy-back in and the Tug-O-War Throttle King Challenge® qualifier. The real fun comes into play when the "Pay to Play" entrants can also attempt the obstacle course, sand dunes, mud hole, rock wall, trail ride and a bounty hole!

Online registration for Super Truck Challenge entrants will be available at www.crandonoffroad.com. Adult tickets are \$35 for the weekend, \$25 per day, kids 12 and under and seniors 75 and over are free. Super Truck Challenge entrants are admitted free!

Also noteworthy, camping reservations for the June Brush Run, Super Truck Challenge World Championships are now being taken. Please keep in mind these sell out quickly! For more information on Crandon International Off-Road Raceway, including tickets, camping reservations and sponsorship information please visit our new website at www.crandonoffroad.com.

Lake Metonga Association needs calendar photos

Do you, or any of your friends and family, have any pictures that would make a great calendar? The Lake Metonga Association is considering making a calendar using your pictures! So get those cameras out and start taking those pictures of the lake throughout the year. Pictures can be sent to LakeMetongaWI@gmail.com. The committee will be meeting in early May to make their recommendation to the board.

For more information please check on the web (<http://lakemetongawi.org>). You can be part of this exciting project!

Community Blood Drive-Crandon

A Crandon Community Blood Drive will be held on Thursday, May 9, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 501 North Park Avenue in Crandon.

To schedule a donation appointment, please call (800) 280-4102, or go to www.save3lives.org Walk-in donors are welcome!

We provide 100% of the blood used by your local hospitals and couldn't do it without volunteers like you!

Swamp Creek Antiques Opens May First



Kathy and Paul Elbe welcome you to their new shop in Crandon

If you enjoy beautiful glass ware, Kathy and Paul Elbe's new store, Swamp Creek Antiques, should not be missed. They have lovely displays of quality glass featuring Depression, Carnival, Royal Ruby, Jadite, Milk glass, Fenton vases, hard to find glass ware and much more. They do not sell any items with cracks or chips. Everything is priced below book value.

There are display cases featuring antique purses, vintage jewelry and linens. All in great condition.

The shop will be open Monday through Saturday from ten in the morning until four in the afternoon. Swamp Creek Antiques is located at 106 S. Lake Avenue Crandon.

The Elbe's invite you to stop in and check out their inventory and to like them on facebook.

Good luck with your new business venture from the Pioneer Express.

Forest County Sheriff's Dept Active School Shooter Training

Forest County Sheriff John Dennee and his deputies have taken the issue of school shootings very seriously and we are working closely with local school administrators to keep our children and school personnel safe. Sheriff Dennee and members of the Forest County Special Emergency Response Team have been putting on demonstrations and speaking with our county's educators in an effort to anticipate and properly respond to any potential active shooter situation. Presentations have already been held at the Crandon School, Laona School, the Blackwell Job Corps, and this week, Sheriff Dennee and his deputies are working with the Wabeno School.

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Pack 'Em Inn helps the Animal Shelter

Pack 'Em Inn is holding a Kentucky Derby Party, the 3rd Annual, that should be fun and will help the Forest County Animal Shelter.

There will be free food and drink specials, along with a paddle wheel and raffle prizes that include a nice big leather rocker glider and a flat-screen television. There will be plenty of other prizes too, and you will be helping the Animal Shelter when you buy tickets.

For extra tickets, bring in some items needed by the shelter, like shampoo or dog food. Check at Pack 'Em Inn for details on these items.

Do a good deed and have a great time!



Saturday, May 4

Activity Day

Crandon High School Gymnasium

Ministry Medical Group and the School District of Crandon are partnering with Parisi Speed School, powered by Riverside Athletic Club, to bring a day of activity, performance training and nutrition education to young people and their parents and coaches.

Pre-Program	Session 1	Session 2	Wellness for Families
Adults	Youth Ages 7-17	Youth Ages 7-17	Parents
8 - 9:45 a.m.	10 a.m. - 1 p.m.	1 - 4 p.m.	10 - 10:30 a.m. & 1 - 1:30 p.m.

TO REGISTER FOR THIS FREE EVENT, CALL 855.642.2273

Space is limited to 50 participants for each youth session.

Pre-Program 8 - 9:45 a.m.

For adults, including prep sports coaches, volunteer youth coaches, professionals who work in sports/recreation roles and parents.

Parent 30-Minute Sessions 10 a.m. & 1 p.m.

Learn about good nutrition and sleep habits, and overall wellness for the entire family.

Youth Sessions 10 a.m. & 1 p.m.

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Eric Filipiak
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New equipment at the Crandon Fire Department



The Crandon Fire Department recently added several pieces of small equipment to its inventory. Several members of the department are pictured holding several of the new additions including several hand tools, upgraded bolt cutters, and several lighted stop/slow signs for directing traffic. Not pictured is the department's new gas detector used in for gas releases and carbon monoxide detection.

All money used in the purchase of the equipment was from donations and money raised from the department's fundraisers and would not be possible without the support of the community.

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- 1999 OLDS ALERO - V6, 4 dr, alloy wheels.....\$3,495

VANS

- 2009 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN - 4 doors, automatic.....\$8,995
- 2008 CHEVY UPLANDER LS - V6, rear heat, loaded.....\$8,995
- 2008 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY - Rear heat & air.....\$8,995
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- 2006 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN - 77k, pwr seat, loaded.....\$8,995
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- 2005 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY - V6, full power...\$5,995
- 2002 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN SPORT - V6, loaded.....\$4,995
- 2001 DODGE CARAVAN - 113k, V6, 4 door, loaded.....\$4,495

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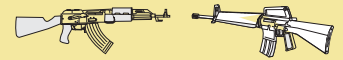
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Book by Crandon author

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Area Events



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Open to any Crandon High School student, with games, food, music, prizes & Fun!

Prizes include: Ipad Mini, Laptop, Ipod nano gift cards, cash & many other great prizes.

HOPE WE SEE YOU THERE!

TOWNSEND VARIETY SHOW

Saturday, April 27th • 1:30 & 7:00 p.m.
 Townsend Town Hall

Refreshments & Raffles

\$6 or \$5 + Pantry Donation Ticket Inc. Raffle

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ATTENTION
 CLASS OF 1956

The Crandon High Class of 1956 will hold their annual reunion on Saturday, May 18th at the Hotel Crandon. We will meet about 5 pm with dinner to follow

Concert To Benefit Lyme Disease awareness-Crandon

Mark Kroos, winner of Guitar Player Magazine's 2011 Guitar Superstar Competition will be playing his unique extreme jazz guitar in Crandon to benefit Lyme Disease Awareness. The concert will be held at the Crandon School Auditorium on Saturday May 18 at 7:30 p.m. and is for all ages.

Mark Kroos plays two guitar necks at the same time. Originally from Lansing, Michigan but currently based in Williamsburg, VA he is one of the only people in the world touring his trade. His primarily instrumental style is characterized by open harmonies, polyphonic textures, incredible tapping technique, and is as entertaining to watch as it is to listen to. Live performances burst with energy and magnetism not typical of solo guitar music. Drawing influence from folk, Celtic, indie, and even punk rock artists as well as other great guitarists such as Michael Hedges, Phil Keagy, Tommy Emmanuel and Leo Kottke, Mark Kroos has developed his own edge to the acoustic guitar.

In July of 2011 Mark competed in Guitar Player Magazine's 2011 Guitar Superstar Competition in Nashville for host Larry Carlton and renowned judges Muriel Anderson, Reeves Gabrels and Carl Verheyen, taking 1st place out of five invited competitors and thousands of others who had submitted online. Mark also picked up sponsorships from Ovation Guitars, D'Addario Strings, Planet Waves Cables and Kyser Capos.

This October Mark released his second full-length instrumental guitar album, Down Along the Lines of Joy which features Mark on both double and single neck guitars. The album is based on the concept that while happiness is a fleeting feeling that comes and goes with outside influence, Joy remains in the heart regardless. A four-note theme which represents Joy occurs on the album several times throughout the album, during the upbeat songs, but also in some of the more somber songs.

Mark's debut solo album, And Grace Will Lead Me Home was released in January. Tracks from the album have been licensed for multiple productions on CNN. While on tour Mark wrote and recorded 4-track vocal EP titled The Sound of Snow, released in January, 2011. Themes from the album include traveling, homelessness, and most importantly, hope. The EP is intended as a thank you to all of Mark's supporters and is available only for free online download at www.markkroos.com/store. Mark Kroos attended Bowling Green State University's school of music from 2004-2006, majoring in Jazz studies and guitar performance where he studied under Chris Buzzelli and Matthew Ardizzone. He developed a greater understanding of the instrument and improved his technique immensely but also found that his ability was lacking in the jazz idiom and left the music school to tour with his ska/punk band, The Argonauts. When the band stopped playing regularly in 2009, Mark began teaching and picked up the acoustic guitar. A whole lot of writing, practicing and two guitar necks later there was the musical madness that is Mark Kroos.

April is Alcohol Awareness Month

Drinking too much alcohol increases the risk of health-related problems like injuries, violence, risky sexual behavior, heart and nervous system problems, stomach problems, mental health concerns, liver disease, and some types of cancer. This April during Alcohol Awareness Month, The Community Coalition of Forest County encourages you to take this time to educate yourself and your loved ones about the dangers of drinking too much.

In 2011, excessive drinking in Wisconsin resulted in 1529 deaths, 48,578 hospitalizations, 46,583 treatment admissions, 60,221 arrests, and 5,751 motor vehicle crashes according to according to a University of Wisconsin Population Health Institute Report called the Burden of Excessive Alcohol Use in Wisconsin. The annual economic cost of excessive alcohol use in Wisconsin is \$6.8 billion. To spread the word and prevent alcohol abuse, the coalition is joining other organizations across the country to honor Alcohol Awareness Month and prevent alcohol abuse in our community.

If you are drinking too much, you can improve your health by cutting back or quitting. Here are some strategies to help you cut back or stop drinking:

- Limit your drinking to no more than one drink a day for women and no more than two drinks a day for men.
- Keep track of how much you drink.
- Don't drink when you are upset.
- Avoid places where people drink too much.
- Make a list of reasons not to drink.
- Never drink and drive.
- Talk to your kids about the risks of alcohol use.

If you are concerned about someone else's drinking, offer to help. If you are concerned about your own drinking, talk to your health care provider, friend or relative.

Artwork sought for WRAP exhibit at Nicolet College

Northwoods artists are invited to submit works of art for the upcoming Wisconsin Regional Art Program exhibit at Nicolet College May 31 to July 6.

"The art must be original and can be in any media," said Katy Ralph, Nicolet College Art Gallery director. "This is a non-juried exhibit and all pieces will be in contention for State Exhibit Awards. Those chosen will be included in the annual State Art Exhibit and conference held in Madison in September."

To receive an entry form, email Ralph at kralph@nicoletcollege.edu or call her at (715) 365-4556, 1-800-544-3039, ext. 4556, TDD (715) 365-4448 and leave your name and address. Entry forms are due by Thursday, May 17. Artists submitting work must be age 14 or older.

The judge/presenter this year at Nicolet's WRAP show is oil painter David Kapszukiewicz from Tomahawk. The exhibit will conclude with a workshop led by Kapszukiewicz on Saturday, July 6, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on the Nicolet Campus.

WRAP began in 1940 to encourage the creative expression of Wisconsin non-professional artists from rural areas. It is headed by the University of Wisconsin Division of Continuing Studies and now includes urban areas and more seasoned artists as well as emerging artists. Each year regional exhibits are held throughout the state.

The Nicolet College Art Gallery is located in the Learning Resources Center on the Nicolet Campus, one mile south of the city just off of Hwy. G.



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- Forest County Big Book Closed AA Meeting: Thurs. 7 p.m., Crandon Library. 478-2598 or 715-889-1829.
- Al-Anon Meetings - Courage to Change Group. Every Friday, 7-8 p.m., lower level Crandon Library.
- Forest Cty. Humane Society; Open to public every Sat. from 1-4. Call for more info 715-478-2098.
- FREE Road Construction Class: Starts in January, Mon - Thurs. Space limited. For info call 715-478-7633.
- AA Meeting - Every Saturday at 9 a.m., Wabeno Fire Station, side door entrance.
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- Crandon Lions Board Meetings - 1st Monday of month at Crandon Library at 7:00 p.m. (downstairs). Member Meeting - 3rd Monday of the Month at 5 p.m. May Member Meeting- Beachide at 5:30
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Death Notices

RAYMOND J. MORAVEC, 89, of Wabeno, passed away April 14, 2013 surrounded by his family at the Marquette General Hospital, Marquette, MI. He was born January 4, 1924 in Shevlin, MN to John and Ester (Dolen) Moravec.

Ray proudly served in the Army's Squadron 46 Air Service group as a Sergeant from 1945-1947. He married Luella Jean Sipe on October 27, 1951 in Neenah, WI. Together they shared 61 years of marriage.

Ray is survived by his loving wife, one daughter, Bonnie (Jack) Simpson, Waukesha, five sons, Bruce, Wabeno, Dan (Dena), Carter, Dale (Lori), Wabeno, Gerald, Kenosha, and Raymond (Lisa), Kenosha and daughter-in-law, Kelly, New Munster. He is further survived by two sisters, Alice Rossey and Rose Obright both of Appleton, one brother Don (Betty) of Shiocton, 27 grandchildren and 35 great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son Bill, a brother John, a sister Agnes and two brother-in-laws: Bob Rossey, and bob Obright.

A gathering of remembrance will be held on Saturday April 27, 2013 at 2:00 pm at the home of Dan and Dena Moravec, 541 Harris Ln. in Carter. Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family.

JEROME "JERRY" LACHAPELLE, age 89, of Armstrong Creek, passed away at the Woodlands Nursing Home, Gillett on Saturday, April 20, 2013. Visitation will be held on Saturday, April 27 from 9-11 a.m. at St. Stanislaus Kostka Catholic Church, Armstrong Creek. Funeral mass will follow at 11:00 a.m. with Monsignor Paul Koszarek and Deacon Jerry Cross officiating. Interment will be at Pine Hill Cemetery. Online condolences www.weberhillfuneralhome.com

PHYLLIS W. (MEIER) MANTHEY, age 87, of Wabeno, passed away Friday, April 19, 2013 at the Nu-Roc Community Health Care Center, Blackwell. Visitation was held on Thursday, April 25 from 4-8 p.m. at the Weber-Hill Funeral Home, Wabeno. Funeral mass was on Friday, April 26 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Ambrose Catholic Church, Wabeno with Father Jason Blahnik officiating. Interment will be at St. Ambrose Catholic Cemetery. Online condolences www.weberhillfuneralhome.com

SHIRLEY I. STAMPER, age 77, of Crandon, passed away Sunday, April 21, 2013 at Nu-Roc Community Health Care Center, Blackwell. Visitation was held from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon on Wednesday, April 24, 2013 at the Weber-Hill Funeral Home, Crandon. Memorial services followed at 12:00 noon with Pastor Bill Farr officiating. Inurnment will be at Crandon Lakeside Cemetery. Online condolences www.weberhillfuneralhome.com

WILLIAM H. GREASBY, age 90, of Lakewood, passed away at St. Vincent Hospital, Green Bay, on Thursday, April 18, 2013. Visitation was held Monday, April 22, 2013 from 9:00-11:30 a.m. at St. Mary of The Lakes Catholic Church, Lakewood. Funeral mass followed at 11:30 a.m. with Father Jason Blahnik officiating. Interment was at St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery. www.weberhillfuneralhome.com

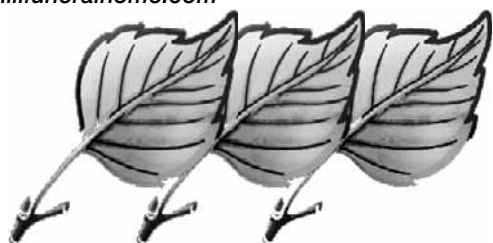
FRED REIMANN, 84 of Wabeno, died April 22, 2013 at the Wisconsin Veterans Home in Chippewa Falls, WI. He was born on September 27, 1928 in West Bend, WI to Fred and Wilma (Grothe) Reimann, after they arrived in the United States from Germany. Fred was the first of his family to be born in the United States.

Fred married Kathryn Gadow on September 4th, 1948 in Barton, Wisconsin. After high school, Fred enlisted in the United States Navy and served from 1946-1949. He subsequently began his career in education, starting as an instructor of 5th grade students in Mt. Prospect, IL. He continued his own education while furthering that of his students, studying for his master's degree in his spare time. After obtaining his degree in education administration, he became a school administrator; he was eventually promoted to assistant superintendent of Cook County, IL. His love of children led him to purchase Trump Lake Lodge boys camp in 1955, which he and Kathryn operated until 1975. Fred thoroughly enjoyed running the camp and initiating various restoration projects -- he renovated houses, dismantled and fixed tractors and mowers, and cheerfully lent a hand with ad hoc maintenance projects for friends and family. Fred was an Eagle Scout, a member of Rotary Club International, elected Walworth County Supervisor, and a life-long member of the National Education Association.

Mr. Reimann is survived by his wife Kathryn of Wabeno, four daughters: Kathryn (Bob) Lind of Minneapolis, MN, Rhea (Dick) Teteak of Madison, WI, Susan (Tom) Zwickel of Chippewa Falls, WI, and Lisa (Roy) Myles of Gurnee, IL. Four sons: Fred P. of Wabeno, WI, William (Joyce) of Batavia, IL, Kirk (Lori) of Wausau, WI, and Karl (Kathy) of Janesville, WI. He is further survived by brother-in-law Richard Quinlan of Wabeno, sister-in-law Patricia Reimann of Weyauwega, WI, 17 grandchildren, and 6 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by sister, Melitta, and two brothers, Hans (Gini) and Bob.

Funeral mass for Fred will be held at 10:30AM on Monday April 29th, 2013 at St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Wabeno, WI. Visitation will be on Sunday from 4-8PM at the Weber Hill Funeral Home in Wabeno. Visitation will also be held Monday from 9:30AM until the time of service at the church. Fr. Jason Blahnik will officiate. Weber-Hill Funeral Home is assisting the family. Online condolences at weberhillfuneralhome.com



Letters to the Editor

Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest Opinion Editorial from Forest Supervisor Paul Strong "Reflecting on 80 Years of the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest"

Rhineland, Wis., April 18, 2013 By Paul Strong, CANNF Forest Supervisor- In 2013 the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest (CANNF) is celebrating its 80th anniversary of establishment in Wisconsin and the beginning of its conservation through wise use and restoration. The Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) is also celebrating its 80 year anniversary, and the history of these two government programs is inextricably linked.

Together, the Forest Service and the CCC's replanted cutover and burned over lands, repaired soil erosion damage, built roads and trails, and constructed fire towers, campgrounds, picnic areas, and accesses to lakes and rivers. The CCC "boys" and the early employees of the Forest Service got the ball rolling during the first 10 years. For the last 70 years, Forest Service employees, partners, and communities have kept it going.

As we view the heavily forested landscape of northern Wisconsin today, it is hard to imagine what the communities and undeveloped lands looked and felt like then. Recovery from the Great Depression was starting, but unemployment was high and demand for forest products had plummeted. Many businesses which had thrived during the brief period of cut and run logging were gone. Lands on which ill-fated agricultural attempts had been made were being abandoned. A series of drought years had left forests and logging slash dry. Hundreds of thousands of acres of land were burning annually. Communities were struggling to survive.

Under the provisions of the Weeks Act and Clarke-McNary Act, on the lands which were purchased to become the national forest, work began on the restoration of soils, waters, and forests to protect watersheds and make forest lands productive for timber. Eighty years of restoration and wise use has resulted in lands much better poised to provide goods and services and to remain resilient in the face of uncertain future conditions.

The Forest Service has always been an agency which uses a "partnership model" to get its work done. The CCC was our first significant partner. Since then, under authorities provided us by Congress, we leverage the annual appropriations which fund our agency to accomplish more work and to provide greater value to the citizens of America whose forests these are.

In 2012, numerous partners provided nearly \$1.5 million of additional capacity to the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest through volunteer work, in-kind services, and cash. Some of the partners include federally recognized tribes, the State of Wisconsin, colleges and universities, local governments, and non-profit organizations like the Ruffed Grouse Society and Trout Unlimited. Additionally, the CANNF partners with entities which coordinate efforts across larger geographies and multiple owners. For example, we are part of Cooperative Weed Management Area Councils and work with recreation groups like the Chequamegon Area Mountain Bike Association and the Wisconsin ATV association on trail development and maintenance.

There is a need to expand and accelerate important conservation work on the CANNF and we are constantly exploring new partnership opportunities and other legal ways to stretch the appropriated funds we receive. One of the most promising ways is through "stewardship contracting" which allows us to enter agreements or contracts with entities which will trade the completion of on-the-ground conservation work for the value of timber sales we offer.

Timber sales help us meet some of the conservation goals in our comprehensive land management plan and the service work helps meet other conservation goals. Our knowledge and use of this authority is growing. We are pleased to have recently been approved to move forward on a Stewardship project in Bayfield County which engaged local government officials and interested citizens in designing projects that will improve key roads, soil erosion, and streams in exchange for timber that can be sold to meet other healthy forest conservation goals.

As the Forest Supervisor on the CANNF, I have the privilege of working with and representing the CANNF employees who pour their hearts and souls into the important work of making sure these lands and resources are used wisely and are sustainable into the future. These are high integrity individuals who follow the regulations and policies which govern our business, but who also are constantly striving to find more efficient and creative ways to accomplish our work. They live in the many towns and villages in the 11 counties where national forest lands are located. Their children attend schools in these areas. They volunteer in churches, adult and youth programs, and service projects. Some serve on school boards. They take great pride in their work.

As CANNF employees, we remain committed to the restoration and wise use efforts begun by our predecessors 80 years ago. I invite you to explore and enjoy your National Forest and to also explore the idea of partnering with us to start the next 80 years of conservation of these lands.

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TUESDAY - April 30 - Beef pot roast, mashed potatoes, green beans, wheat sourdough bread, strawberry mousse
TUESDAY - May 7 - Roast pork spatzle, sweet & sour cabbage, fruit, sweet potato, biscuits, oatmeal cookie
CRANDON
WEDNESDAY - May 1 - Egg salad sandwich on whole wheat, french onion soup, tossed salad, peanut butter cookies
WEDNESDAY - May 8 - Baked haddock, brown rice, broccoli, fruit, wheat bread, chocolate cake - **BINGO - LAONA**
THURSDAY - May 2 - Egg salad sandwich on whole wheat, french onion soup, tossed salad, peanut butter cookies
THURSDAY - May 9 - Baked haddock, brown rice, broccoli, fruit, wheat bread, chocolate cake
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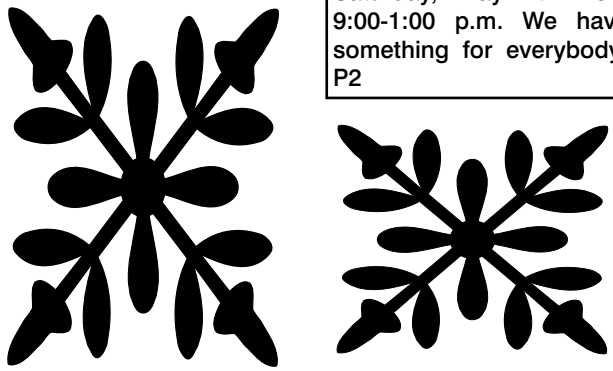
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Many bars offer convenience when you're on the run, tied to work or stuck on a plane. But frequently relying on them to the exclusion of healthier whole foods may not be smart. Plus, bars are relatively expensive and some brands are no more healthful than a candy bar, advises the American Dietetic Association.

As an occasional snack, some bars are a better nutritional value than chips or cookies. Check the labels, especially if you're counting calories. The best bars have 10-15 grams of protein, such as soy; 35% of the RDA's for vitamins and minerals; 3-5 grams of fiber; and 5 grams or less of fat per 230 calories. Tip: Have some real food along with your bar - a piece of fruit or carrot sticks.

Sunlight for good health?

The sun helps us make vitamin D, the sunshine vitamin, which is essential for healthy teeth and bones, heart health and better immunity. Recent studies show vitamin D may help reduce risk for certain cancers.

Very little sun exposure is needed to stimulate production of vitamin D: 10-15 minutes twice a week to the face, arms, legs or back without sunscreen is usually enough. Infants and sun-sensitive folks, however, need to stay out of direct sunlight.

After your sun time is up, apply a sunscreen with an SPF of 15 or more to prevent sun damage. Accumulation of sun exposure over years can accelerate visible skin aging and lead to skin cancer.

The best source of vitamin D is food: milk, soymilk, orange juice, and some ready-to-eat cereals. Vitamin D supplements are an option to discuss with your provider.

Thank Yous & Personals



The Bobcat Meeting

By Mike Monte

Last Thursday evening, about twenty hunters with an interest in hunting bobcats, met with John Olson, who is charged with managing furbearing animals by his employer, the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources. Olson says his job is to provide maximum hunting opportunities while protecting the resource.

The meeting in the CHS auditorium was attended by interested people, mostly from Crandon, Laona, Gleason and Tomahawk. The meeting was facilitated by State Senator Tom Tiffany. The reason for the meeting is that bobcat hunters feel there are more bobcats than the number that is reflected by DNR quotas on bobcat hunting. The limit per hunter is one bobcat to a hunter who has waited for his turn, and the season runs from October 15th until June 31st.

Olson started with a slide show that outlined the science used by the DNR to determine populations and subsequently the quotas. Olson said that the bobcat is an animal that is long-lived and has low rates of reproduction and a low natural mortality rate. The harvest area for the bobcat is roughly the northern one-third of the state, and the animal is potentially vulnerable to over-harvest. He said that the population goal for the management area is 2,500 animals, give or take 500.

Olson said that managing bobcat populations can be difficult, as detection of animals and counting is quite difficult. A winter track count is used, and two transits per county are run ten miles apart. The transits are run in aspen and balsam habitat, and the transits are also on lightly traveled roads.

Work is also done on bobcat carcasses to determine the age and sex of the harvested animals. A canine tooth is pulled and used to determine age. If a female carcass is examined, placental scars left by fetal attachment are checked to determine how many pregnancies and the size of litters. This, along with track surveys, provide the data used to estimate populations.

The pre-season of 2012 showed a population of only 1,700 animals, which lead to lower quotas for hunters. All carcasses are checked, and in recent times, more males have been harvested. This leads to the question of whether hunters and trappers are trying for larger males or is there is a decrease in juveniles.

The goal of the DNR is to take about 12% of the estimated population, but in recent years, it appears that about 15% has been harvested. This leads to smaller quotas with about fifteen applications per permit in 2010.

Olson said that there was a hunter success rate of ten percent until the year 2,000. But, that rate has climbed to 50% now. The science says to decrease quotas.

Like those in attendance, Olson says he too has seen a lot of bobcat sign, but the DNR has to harvest by scientific methods.

There were a number of suggestions and arguments offered. One is to increase the size of the bobcat hunting territory to the south in Wisconsin, and another suggestion is to have a reciprocity with Michigan on our northern border.

While the numbers of cats seem to be increasing in the central part of the state, Olson says we have to act conservatively. He pointed out that the anti-hunting and trapping gang almost stopped bobcat hunting completely, but a court case was won because there was sufficient scientific data to convince a judge that bobcat populations would remain stable with hunting and trapping in place. Without sufficient data on bobcat numbers to the south of us, animal rights activists could win in court, causing a waste of money and time.

Discussion from the floor was in disagreement with bobcat stats compiled the DNR. They cited the time they spent in the woods and the proliferation of cat tracks wherever they hunt coyotes. They were also critical of the amount of miles used in the track surveys, and thought there should be more miles of scouting for tracks. It was a lively and civil discussion, with Olson often agreeing with the audience.

Olson suggested another method of determining bobcat numbers that hunters and trappers could participate in, and that was the use of trail-cams to count bobcats. A member of the audience agreed, and said, "Let's get moving."

Olson says that most biologists think there are bobcats out in the woods, here and in the central part of the state, but what is lacking is research.

USDA Proposes Simplified Application Process for Renewable Energy Funding

WASHINGTON, April 15, 2013 –The U.S. Department of Agriculture has proposed a series of changes to make it easier for agricultural producers and rural small businesses to apply for renewable energy and energy efficiency funding. USDA remains focused on carrying out its mission, despite a time of significant budget uncertainty. Today's announcement is one part of the Department's efforts to strengthen the rural economy.

"These changes are intended to help agricultural producers and rural small businesses throughout America," Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack said. "They will streamline and simplify the application process and give businesses more time to do what they do best: innovate, create jobs and serve their rural communities."

The proposed changes would affect applications for loans and grants through USDA Rural Development's Rural Energy for America Program (REAP). They would:

- Reduce paperwork, especially for projects under \$80,000;
 - Implement a more objective and uniform system to score applications;
 - Authorize funding for refurbished and retrofitted renewable energy systems;
 - Reduce certain reporting requirements;
 - Establish a quarterly application period for applicants seeking only guaranteed loans.
- This change is intended to make the program more appealing to lenders and to ensure that funds are available year-round.

REAP is one of USDA's most popular renewable energy and energy efficiency programs. From the passage of the 2008 Farm Bill through the end of Fiscal Year 2012, REAP funded more than 6,800 renewable energy and energy efficiency projects, feasibility studies, energy audits and renewable energy development assistance projects.

In 2012, for example, USDA Rural Development provided ARC Technology of Whitewater, Kan., a \$9,945 REAP grant to assist with installing a 12.2 kilowatt solar array. As a direct result of the USDA grant, the company expects to save approximately \$1,300 per year on its electric bill and see a return on its investment in only two years.

USDA is accepting comments on the proposed rule through June 11, 2013. For details on how to submit comments, or for additional information, see Page 22044 of the April 12 Federal Register, <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2013-04-12/pdf/2013-07273.pdf>.

Crandon Youth Basketball would like to extend a big THANK YOU to the following individuals for volunteering their time to our annual 3 on 3 tournament. Proceeds from this tournament allow us to fund our traveling basketball program, Saturday Morning Ballers program, bring camps to town and donate toward to varsity basketball programs in our district.

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The family of Richard Votis would like to express their gratitude for the overwhelming love and support given to us during this very difficult time. Your prayers, cards, flowers, plants, gifts of food, phone calls, kind words and stories have been a great comfort.

To the Hiles Fire Department first responders, the Crandon Rescue Squad, as well as the nurses and doctors at St. Clare's Hospital and St. Mary's Hospital Emergency Services, thank you for the extraordinary tenderness in caring for Richard and the compassion shown, especially, to me, his wife.

A very special thank you to Pastor Niall Philyaw for leading us in the "Celebration" of Richard's life. Your words were perfect. Also thank you to your wife, Christy for the beautiful song. God is truly amazing!

Special thanks to the thoughtful, caring staff at Weber-Hill Funeral Home who went above and beyond to make things easier for us.

Lastly, we want to extend our appreciation to the Hiles Service Club for all their hard work in providing an awesome meal after the service.

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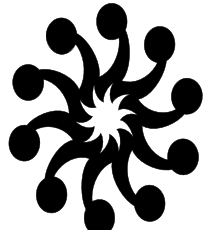
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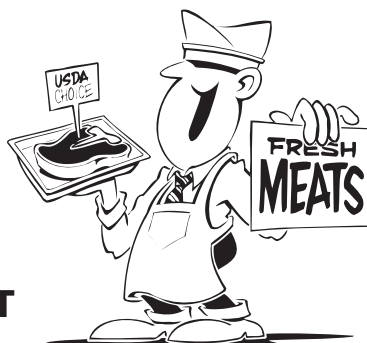


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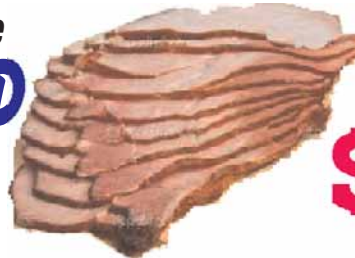
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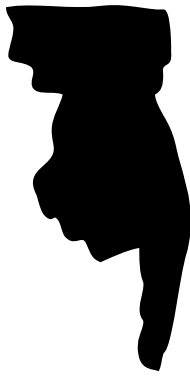
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Pastor Jennings is pictured here with his wife, Becky, who has a master's degree in counseling. Their daughter, Sarah, will be attending Wabeno High School. Their son, Sam, will be continuing his studies at the University of Missouri.

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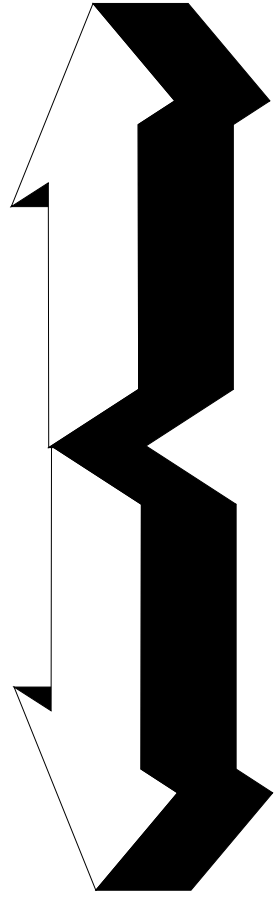
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/s/ Brenda St. Peter, Town Clerk

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Board Work Session

Laona Board of Education

Monday, April 29, 2013 - 5:00 pm
Library, Laona High School

1. Call to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance- Scott Reeves
3. Public Forum (10 minutes)
4. Budget
5. Administrative Rule Revisions
 - a. Use of Facilities
6. Adjourn:

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Notice of Board of Review

Town of Wabeno

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Review for the Town of Wabeno, of County of Forest, shall hold its first meeting on the 13th day of May, 2013 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Wabeno Town Hall board room.

Please be advised of the following requirements to appear before the Board of Review and procedural requirements if appearing before the Board.

No person shall be allowed to appear before the Board of Review, to testify to the Board by telephone or to contest the amount of any assessment of real or personal property if the person has refused a reasonable written request by certified mail of the assessor to view such property.

After the first meeting of the Board of Review and before the Board's final adjournment, no person who is scheduled to appear before the Board of Review may contact, or provide information to a member of the Board about the person's objection except at a session of the Board.

No person may appear before the Board of Review, testify to the Board by telephone or contest the amount of assessment unless, at least 48 hours before the first meeting of the Board or at least 48 hours before the objection is heard if the objection is allowed because the person has been granted a waiver of the 48 hour notice of an intent to file a written objection by appearing before the Board during the first two hours of the meeting and showing good cause for failure to meet the 48 hour notice requirement and files a written objection, that the person provided to the clerk of the Board of Review notice as to whether the person will ask for removal of any Board members and, if so, which member will be removed and the person's reasonable estimate of the length of time that the hearing will take.

When appearing before the Board of Review, the person shall specify, in writing, the person's estimate of the value of the land and of the improvements that are the subject of the person's objection and specify the information that the person used to arrive at the estimate.

No person may appear before the Board of Review, testify to the Board or by telephone or object to a valuation; if that valuation was made by the assessor or the objector using the income method of a valuation; unless the person supplies the Assessor all information about income and expenses, as specified in the Assessor manual under Sec. 73.03(2a) of WI Statutes, that the Assessor requests. The Town of Wabeno has an ordinance for the confidentiality of information about income and expenses that is provided to the Assessor under this paragraph which provides exceptions for persons using information in the discharge of duties imposed by law or the duties of their office or by order of the court. The information that is provided under this paragraph, unless a court determined that it is inaccurate, is not subject to the right of inspection and copying under Sec. 19.35(1) of WI Statutes.

The Board shall hear upon oath, by telephone all ill or disabled persons who present to the board a letter from a physician, surgeon or osteopath that confirms their illness or disability. No other persons may testify by telephone.

Respectfully submitted, Town of Wabeno
 /s/ Brenda St. Peter, Town Clerk

NOTICE - CRANDON STUDENTS!

The School District of Crandon Students will have a half day of school:
FRIDAY, MAY 3, 2013
 Students will be dismissed at 11:45 a.m.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA 2013

April 22 - May 3
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MON: Cereal, bug bites, Mandarin oranges
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SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING ORDER OF BUSINESS

Wednesday, May 1, 2013 6:30 P.M.
 Community Room Wabeno Elementary School
AGENDA

1. Call to order by the board president.
2. Roll call of school board members by the board president.
3. Election of board officers:
 - a. President.
 - b. Vice-President
 - c. Clerk
 - d. Treasurer
 - e. Deputy Clerk
4. Designation of official depositories.
 - a. Designation of banks as depositories for district funds.
 - b. Designation of checking account bank for ensuing fiscal year.
5. Designation of official newspaper for the ensuing fiscal year.
6. Approval to affiliate with the Wisconsin Interscholastic Athletic Association (WIAA).
7. Approval to affiliate with the Wisconsin Association of School Boards (WASB).
8. Election of the WASB representative and alternate, who will serve as the delegate to the 2014 WASB Delegate Assembly.
9. Designation of school board meeting times and date.
10. Election of a delegate to the CESA 8 annual meeting.
11. Other business as allowed by law.
12. Adjourn.

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National Nursing Home Week

Every spring, The American Health Care Association celebrates National Nursing Home Week in skilled nursing facilities throughout America. The fun begins on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 12 and continues throughout the week. This year's theme is "Team Care - Everyone Pitches In." The theme recognizes residents in long term care settings, the dedicated staff who care for them, and the value of care planning where everyone "pitches in" for optimal outcomes. The observance is an opportunity to involve families, community members, youth, and others in a community-wide show of support and respect for the residents and staff who provide care or support services. Activities are designed to foster intergenerational contact, strengthen family relationships and to encourage volunteerism by individuals and local organizations.

Nu-Roc Community Healthcare has many events planned beginning on Sunday with a Mother's Day Social. There will be live music, refreshments, and the chance for family members to relax and socialize.

On Monday the Laona 4th grade class will be visiting in the morning and Dennis Larson will be doing church services in the afternoon. On Tuesday the Job Corp students will visit Nu-Roc, for a quiet, tranquil "morning at the spa," offering; facials, massages, foot rubs, and manicures. That afternoon features an old fashioned sing a long with Scott Wycherly. The Wabeno Head Start will be performing for us on Wednesday morning, and Father Jason will celebrate a Catholic Mass that afternoon. A country music concert featuring Lee Lamers is on tap for Thursday morning, with the Wabeno High School FCCLA pitching in for "brown bag bingo" later that afternoon. One of the highlights of the week is Friday morning, when Cliff the Magician performs his magic and comedy routine. Things will wrap up Friday afternoon with an ice cream social.

Public Library Hours

Lakes Country Public Library - Lakewood - Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.; Wednesday and Friday 2:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. • 715-276-9020.

Wabeno Public Library - Tues & Fri. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Wed. & Thurs. Noon - 5; Sat. 9 - Noon. Closed MONDAYS & SUNDAYS. Wifi signal: 8 a.m.-9 p.m., 7 days/week. 715-473-4131

Crandon Public Library - Monday, Tuesday & Friday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.; Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.; Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.; Saturday 9:00 a.m. - Noon • 715-478-3784.

Laona Edith Evans Community Library - SUMMER HOURS: Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. & extended hours on Tuesday 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. CLOSED Saturday & Sunday • 715-674-4751

Museum Hours

Forest County Museum- Closed for winter. Re-opening in May 2013.

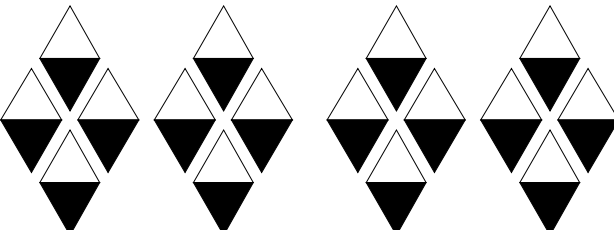
Forest County Potawatomi Cultural Center & Museum - Monday -Thursday 7 a.m. - 5 p.m. If you have special research needs or want to inquire about collection, please call 715-478-4841.

Bids & Notices

REGULAR MEETING OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WABENO AREA BOARD OF EDUCATION

Wednesday, May 1, 2013 approximately 6:45 P.M. or immediately following the Organizational Meeting
Community Room Wabeno Elementary School
AGENDA

- I. Call to order.
 - II. Roll call.
 - III. Pledge of Allegiance.
 - IV. Approval of agenda.
 - V. Appearances:
 - A. John Twardowski and a group of students will present information about a rainwater garden.
 - B. Students will present information regarding FCCLA's state results and to request permission to attend the National competition.
 - VI. Action items:
 - A. Review and possible approval of the minutes of the regular School Board Meeting held on April 3, 2013.
 - B. Review and possible approval of vouchers and payroll.
 - C. Discuss and take possible action on the Head Volleyball Coach position for the 2013-2014 school year.
 - D. Discuss and take possible action on setting a date and time for a Special Meeting to allow the electors of the school district to vote on the school meal program. The purpose of the meeting would be to determine if the school district should continue to provide free breakfast and lunch for all students or if families should pay for breakfast and lunch according to their eligibility for paid, reduced or free meals.
 - E. Discuss and take possible action on rescheduling the July School Board meeting to avoid conflict with the Fourth of July holiday.
 - F. Discuss and take possible action on the Title VII application.
 - G. Discuss and take possible action on setting the cost of athletic passes at \$50 (family)- \$25 (single adult)-\$10 (student) for the 2013-2014 school year. These are the same prices Laona is setting and the passes will be honored at both school districts.
 - H. Discuss and take possible action on co-oping golf with Laona starting in the 2013-2014 school year.
 - I. Discuss and take possible action on FCCLA's request to attend the National competition.
 - VII. Information items:
 - A. Laurie Pries, Head of Maintenance/Custodial Supervisor
 1. Options for addressing mezzanine safety.
 2. Review of maintenance contract and costs with Energy Control and Design.
 - B. Allison Space, Elementary School Principal.
 1. WKCE Testing summary.
 2. Summer School update.
 3. Focus School Strategic Plan update.
 4. Updates on other Elementary news and events.
 - C. Matthew Paulsen, Jr/Sr High School Principal.
 1. Rtl updates.
 2. PBIS updates.
 3. WKCE Data summary.
 4. PLC surveys.
 5. Prom update.
 6. Upcoming May events.
 7. Updates on other Jr/Sr High School news and events.
 - D. Dr. Kimberly Odekirk, District Administrator.
 1. Discuss the upcoming Northern Lakes Conference School Board Association Meeting on May 8, 2013.
 2. Review referendum costs.
 3. Present list of possible budget cuts for the 2013-2014 school year.
 4. Updates from the transportation department.
 5. Review School Board Policy on Class Rank.
 6. Information on visiting schools where learning is more individualized and customized.
 7. Update on crisis planning inservice with the Sheriff's Department.
 8. Updates on other district news and events.
 - VIII. Enter closed sessions under Wisconsin State Statutes 19.85 (1) (c) (e) and Wisconsin State Statutes 120.13 to:
 - A. Discuss employment, promotion, compensation or performance evaluation data of any public employee over which the governmental body has jurisdiction or exercises responsibility.
 - B. Review academic progress of expelled students and other student discipline issues.
 - IX. Return to open session to take possible action on items discussed in closed session and to handle the following open action items:
 - A. Discuss and take possible action on a contract for health insurance for employees for the 2013-2014 school year.
 - B. Discuss and take possible action on a contract for dental insurance for employees for the 2013-2014 school year.
 - C. Discuss and take possible action on salaries/contracts for teaching staff for the 2013-2014 school year.
 - D. Discuss and take possible action on salaries/contracts for support staff for the 2013-2014 school year.
 - E. Discuss and take possible action on salaries/contracts for administrator, principals, bookkeeper, administrative assistant, food service supervisor, head maintenance/custodial supervisor, transportation supervisor, and computer technician for the 2013-2014.
 - X. Adjourn.
- NOTE: THE AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS ALLOWED BY LAW.



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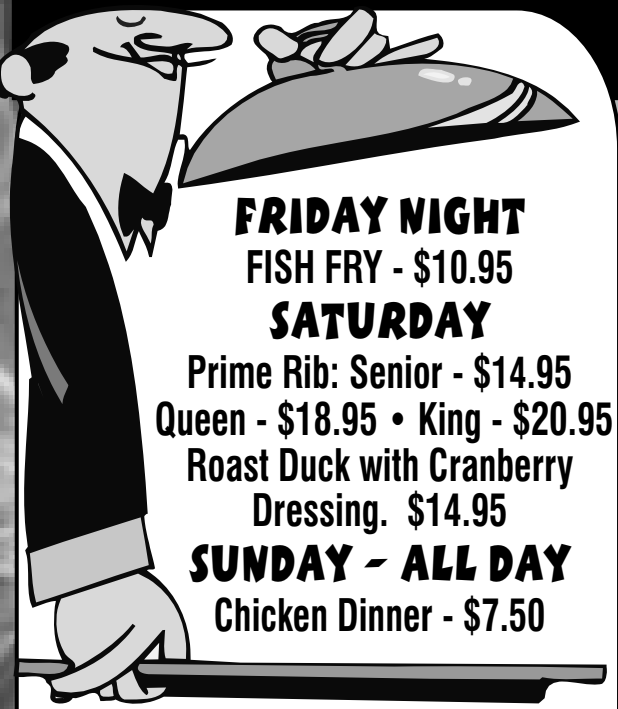
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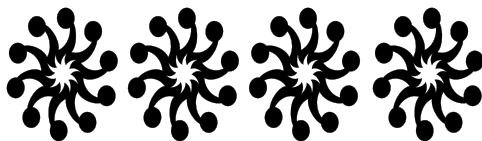
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Shooter CONT. FROM PG. 1

Additionally, Sheriff Dennee has instructed his deputies to spend more time, as allowed, in and around Forest County schools, not only to familiarize themselves with the design and general layout of each school, but also to show a law enforcement presence at the schools.

The Sheriff's Special Emergency Response Team has also recently participated in an active shooter scenario training held at the Rhinelander High School. This training, which involved several different area law enforcement agencies, also served as an opportunity for those agencies to share information, ideas and response tactics.

Sheriff Dennee stated that he is working to organize and implement a similar training in all Forest County schools during the upcoming summer months to reinforce the strategies required to quickly and effectively respond in the event of a school shooting. By working closely with educators to share pertinent information on this very sensitive, but all-to-real subject, the ultimate goal is for local law enforcement to work mutually, efficiently, and spontaneously with school officials as a well-organized team, should the unimaginable ever happen here.



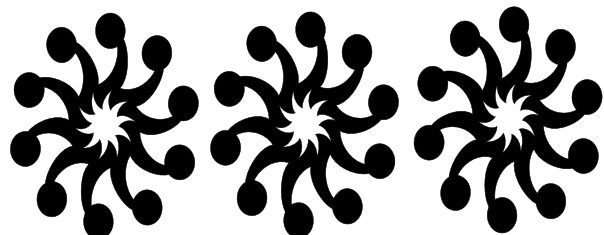
Grants Available to Promote Area Events

The Forest County Tourism Commission (FCTC) is now accepting applications from area groups and organizations for grants to advertise and promote their events.

The FCTC established this program to encourage and promote the expansion of tourism in Forest County. Area groups and organizations that put on events (within the municipalities which have room tax in place) can apply. Eligible events must have regional appeal, attracting visitors from outside the local area, with a goal of creating revenue through overnight stays.

Applicants are required to disclose their advertising plan, budget, and source of funding to be considered. The application deadline is June 1, 2013, and only those fully completed will be accepted for consideration. The Commission reserves the right to modify or deny requests.

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Conference Room 3
For information, call **715.361.2027**

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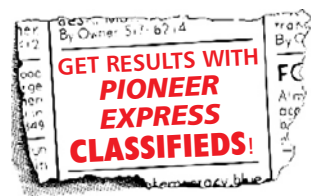
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For a complete listing of programs and events, visit our online Health Connection Calendar of Events at ministryhealth.org/events



Laona Prom 2013



The Class of 2014 from Laona High School is hosting a purple, black, and silver masquerade themed Prom on May 4th. The Grand March begins at 8:30 p.m. with Coronation to follow. Prom will end at midnight. Ticket sales will start at 7 PM. Prices are as follows: Spectators - \$4.00, Singles - \$8.00 and Couples - \$14.00. The spectators will be asked to leave upon the completion of Grand March and Coronation. Feel free to bring a mask. We hope to see you there.

Shown in the picture from left to right:

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Laona Kelly's Honor Status Program

In our efforts to strive toward school improvement, we are implementing an Honor Status program in the high school. The program will serve as an incentive for students who are performing well in the classroom, attending school on a regular basis, and show respect toward their peers and staff.

Students who were on the honor roll the third quarter of this year will be eligible for Honor Status during the fourth quarter. Those who were not on the honor roll at the end of the third quarter may gain status by reaching the criteria by the end of the third week of the fourth quarter. If the student maintains that status at the end of each three week period, he/she will continue in the program. Honor Status will carry over to the next year.

Incentives for Honor Status grades (7-10):

- *The students will have the option to stay in study hall or go to the Honor Status room. The cafeteria will be the location for Honor Status students, which will allow them to do their work in a little different environment. A bit more relaxed environment to study or hangout!
- *A television will be allowed during their study time, and they will be able to socialize in a respectful manner.
- *Students may work/study together as long as common classroom expectations are met.
- *Students will be able to seek help from their teachers at this time also via a pass.
- *When their work is completed, students will be allowed to use the gym or weight room area.

Incentives for Honor Status grades (11-12):

- *Same as the incentives listed above!
- *Juniors and seniors who have a signed parent permission slip may sign out from their regular study hall to leave the building for the rest of the day. They may not re-enter the building until after 3:20 p.m. unless they have specific business to attend.

The following actions will result in removal from Honor Status:

1. Any unexcused absence
2. Two behavioral referrals of any kind
3. Any type of suspension
4. Receiving a grade/s of "D" or "F" at all grade check times. Grade checks will be done every three weeks.
5. Truancy issues

Students earn the privilege to gain Honor Status! If status is lost, it can be regained at the beginning of the next quarter. Attendance and behavior standards must be met to maintain Honor Status!

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National Forest to Delay Opening of Campgrounds and Recreational Trails

Rhineland, Wis., April 23, 2013 Much of the 1.5 million acres of the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest (CNNF) has experienced more snow fall than normal. It is anticipated that the opening of the CNNF's fifty three developed campgrounds will be delayed due to these conditions.

Visitors are encouraged to check the web site or call the District Offices to check on opening dates. We recognize this is an issue for visitors and work will be done to get the campgrounds open as soon as possible.

Recreational trails across the CNNF will also be opening later than usual. All trails will be closed due to the snow pack and wet conditions until approximately May 17. Trails on the Lakewood-Laona District will open on May 10 if conditions allow.

Conditions for both campgrounds and trails will be assessed on a regular basis. If there are changes allowing for earlier openings we will notify the public right away.

"We ask for the public's understanding with this delay. During a normal spring we get all the campgrounds open in time for the opening of fishing season, unfortunately Mother Nature is just not going along with that plan this year. We know this can make it hard for visitors to plan ahead and we will keep people up to date on changing conditions." said Forest Supervisor, Paul Strong.

To check on the latest status of campgrounds and recreational trails go to <http://www.fs.usda.gov/cnnf> or follow us on Twitter at <http://twitter.com/CNNF002>, or call the District Office in the area you wish to check on.

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